

NATION PAYS FINAL TRIBUTE TO MAINE DEAD

Bones of Sailors Killed in Explosion
on 14 Years Ago are
Buried

PRESIDENT TAFT PRESENT

Official Family Attends Funeral of
67 Men, in Driving
Rain

Washington, March 23.—The American nation today wrote the final chapter of the tragedy of the Maine and paid its full measure of tribute to the heroes who were sacrificed on the altar of patriotism fourteen years ago. With a wealth of sentiment the bones of 67 unidentified dead, resurrected from the harbor of Havana, were consigned by a reverend republic to the sacred soil of the Arlington National Cemetery to be mingled with the dust of the country's hallowed dead.

President Taft and officials of the government set aside the day and paid homage to the dead. Although the rain began to fall early in the afternoon, President Taft and his entourage made their way to the cemetery and remained bare-headed in the downpour, until the last coffin had been lowered.

The solemnity of the moment expressed itself upon every one before the service at the grave was. Mass was held on the south front of the state war and money building. This was attended by the President and official Washington.

Rain began shortly after the President spoke. It started mildly but shortly became a downpour. As a result when the Presidential party started towards Arlington they struggled through a sea of mud.

A sharp patter of hail began to fall when President Taft, bareheaded, walked to the front of the platform. He did not try to shield himself from the storm. A great crowd of citizens hedged in by the military, heard him in respectful silence.

BULLETIN TODAY LARGEST EVER MADE IN CAIRO

Spring Fashion Edition Sets News
Mark for Southern Illinois
Newspapers

The Bulletin as it comes to the readers today is the largest newspaper ever published in Cairo or southern Illinois. It contains 36 pages and the composition and printing were done in Cairo.

The Spring Fashion Edition is the main feature of the paper today. This section is filled with articles on the latest fashions and gives the correct information on what is right and proper for the spring season of 1912.

The Fashion Edition is printed on the best of paper, and every bit of the work was done at The Bulletin office. The stereotype plates on which the pictures and printing appear were cast in The Bulletin office and every one of the advertisements were set up in this office.

The getting up of this edition entailed several weeks' work and is something never before attempted in this city. Besides being a calendar of the correct fashions, it is a directory of the best business houses of the city.

A careful perusal of the columns of the paper, this morning, will show the readers of The Bulletin the way in which to distribute their money to get the best advantage.

The getting up of this edition was undertaken largely to show the citizens what could be done by home endeavor. The majority of Cairo people would hardly believe that a home office could do the work shown here and The Bulletin has endeavored to let them know that it can. There is no plant in Cairo, other than that of The Bulletin, equipped to do the work shown here. With the Fashion section comes

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DECISIVE FIGHT DUE IN MEXICAN REVOLT SUNDAY

General Orozco Declares Engage-
ment Probably Will Start
Before Night

ROJAS IS ARRESTED

General Placed in Confinement Be-
cause of Insubordination—
is not Liked

Chihuahua, Mex., March 23.—Gen. Pasqual Orozco, commander-in-chief of the rebel forces, regards it as highly probable that the first decisive engagement of the insurrection against the Madero government will be fought at Escalon tomorrow. Escalon is an adobe village, situated on a sandy point midway between Jimenez and Torreon. All available troops have been sent there leaving only the garrison at Chihuahua and a mere corporal's guard at Jimenez, which has been the base of recent operations.

Escalon now is occupied by 2,800 liberals while the federal forces, which it is expected will make the attack tomorrow, numbers about 2,000 having been reinforced by a regiment and platoon of artillery today.

Chihuahua, Mex., March 23.—Gen. Antonio Rojas, of the revolutionary forces, was placed under arrest, here, today, by General Pasqual Orozco, commander-in-chief, and two hundred of Rojas' men disarmed and their rifles given to men, whose loyalty is not questioned. The remaining 500 men in the Rojas detachment were sent south to re-inforce Generals Tampa and Salazar, who are in momentary expectation of attack at Escalon. Rojas, when in command of the rebel garrison at Juarez, looted the branch of the Mexican National bank of 17,200 pesos, all that remained in the vault. The action was criticized harshly by his brother officers, and he was ordered with his command to Chihuahua. He soon returned to Juarez, but on Thursday, again, took his men to Chihuahua. It is said his arrest was due to insubordination.

Chihuahua, Mex., March 23.—The brigand chief Luk is in possession of the Bogie forts. He has been re-enforced by mutinous troops and has been able to repel the gunboats that have been bombarding his stronghold. The bandits in the forts returned the fire of the gunboats with considerable effect. It is feared that Luk in retaliation will carry out his threat to attack the foreign settlement at Shamen. Several forts along the Canton river which were in the possession of the bandits were captured by the government soldiers after serious losses had been inflicted on the robbers. The government is planning to starve the outlaws into submission. All the bread and canned meat have been bought up, and the sources of supplies used by the bandits will be cut off. The trouble in the Canton district, according to reliable authorities, will go on for some time and threatens to become worse.

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WATER TO BE SHUT OFF

Pumps Stopped 10 Minutes Account
Funeral President Beeber at
Williamsport, Pa.

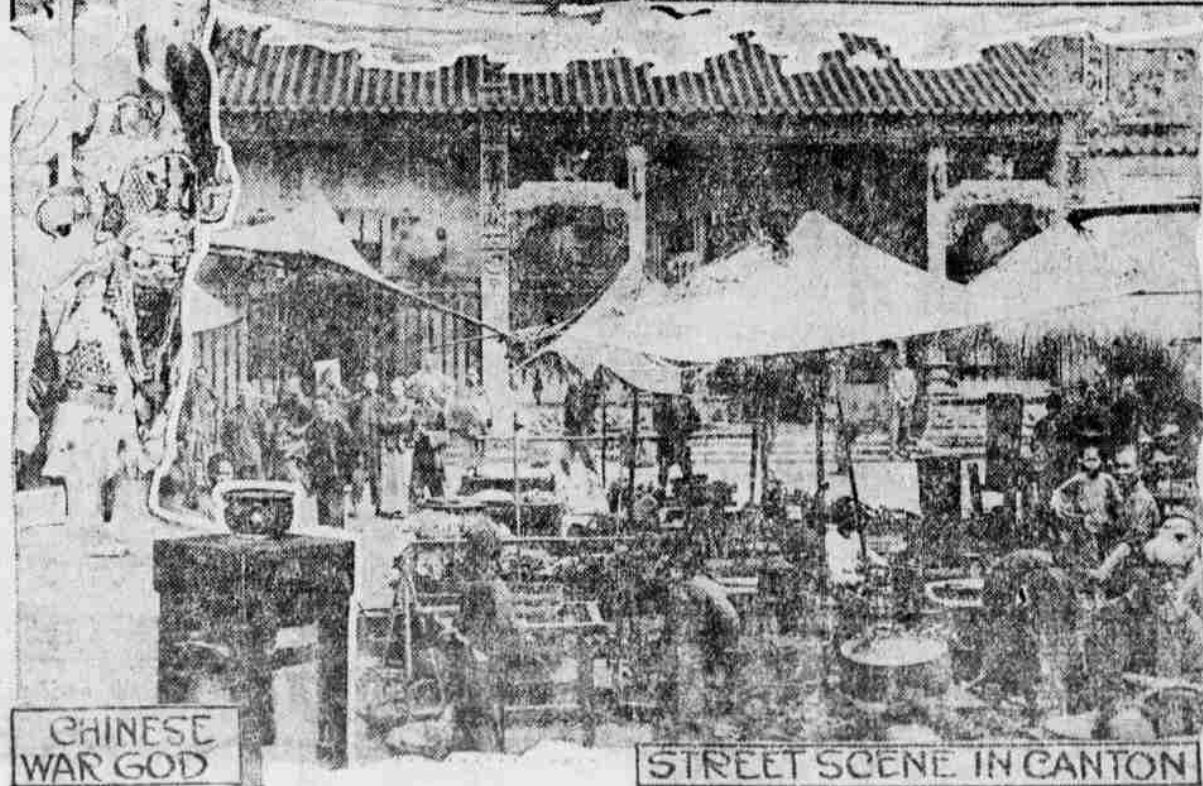
The water supply over the entire city will be shut off this afternoon while the funeral of J. Artley Beeber, president of the Cairo Water Company, is being held at Williamsport, Pa. Promptly at 1:50 p. m. the pumps will be stopped at the pump house and not a drop of water will move for ten minutes. At 2 o'clock the engines will be started and the water immediately turned on.

The funeral of Mr. Beeber will be held at 3 o'clock (Eastern time), which is 2 o'clock (Central time). A list of the commercial organizations and a number of lodges of that city will attend the funeral. Thomas W. Gannon, superintendent of the local plant, who departed Thursday night for Williamsport, arrived there Saturday. A message from Mr. Gannon last evening contained the funeral arrangements and the instructions to turn off the water. This plan is usually practiced by railroad companies by stopping motive power during the funeral of officials.

ATTACK VALIDITY OF KENTUCKY COMMISSION.

Louisville, Ky., March 23.—Suit attacking the validity of the recently enacted Kentucky law, providing a state commission to regulate insurance rates, was filed today at Covington, Ky., according to announcement made here tonight. The suit was called in the United States District Court and calls for a decision of three Federal judges under the law defining the relations of Federal judges to state laws. Four reasons are given why it is alleged that the law is unconstitutional, one of which is that insurance companies cannot be compelled to pay expenses of a state commission, whose sole duty is to regulate rates of insurance companies as provided by the Kentucky law.

SCENES IN CANTON, WHERE BANDITS ARE CAUSING TROUBLE FOR NEW REPUBLIC



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TAFT FOR RULE BY BOSSES SAYS COL. ROOSEVELT

Ex-President Fires Direct Criticism
at Successor in Reviewing Re-
cent Speech

Portland, Me., March 23.—The most direct criticism yet leveled at President Taft by his predecessor in office was contained in a speech delivered here tonight by Col. Roosevelt. The Colonel received a cordial welcome.

Col. Roosevelt repeated the statement, which he made in his New York speech on Wednesday night, that President Taft had declared in favor of a government "by a representative part of the people." In its actual workings, he said, the President's idea would be government "of the people, for the people, by the bosses."

The collapse of the speaker's platform in the auditorium created some excitement, although Col. Roosevelt was uninjured. The platform, which was elevated about three feet from the floor, was occupied by about thirty persons. As Col. Roosevelt ascended it on entering the hall, it gave way with a crash. The middle portion sank to the floor. Col. Roosevelt quickly stepped to the front of the part which did not give way and moved his hand to the crowd to show that he was uninjured. A chair was placed on the edge of the platform and during the remainder of the evening Col. Roosevelt remained at the very front of the weakened stage.

RIVER PILOT DIES AT 82.

Jeffersonville, Ind., March 23.—Andrew Ferguson, said to have been the oldest licensed steamboat pilot in the United States, died of pneumonia here today, aged 82. He was a Union veteran of the Civil war.

SLAYER LIVES IN ATTIC 2 YEARS

Man Under Indictment for Murder
Declares He Has not Left
Father's House

Edwardsville, March 23.—George Gochl, under indictment on the charge of killing Tom Dellaman, May 23, 1910, today was arrested in the attic of his parents' home in Collinsville. He had lived in the attic for almost two years.

The police working on a rumor that Gochl was at his father's home, searched the house for two hours before they found his hiding place. It was found accidentally when the officers removed a table cover which had prevented them seeing a fourteen-inch opening in the wall. Gochl, after his arrest, said he crawled through the opening and between the partitions to his hiding place and at times had been in the attic for more than a month without leaving it.

KILLS WIFE WHO REFUSES TO LIVE WITH HIM AGAIN

Edmonton, Alberta, March 23.—Because his wife refused again to live with him, after a separation of four years, Maxine Philpuck, alias Mike Phillips, is alleged to have gone to the home of the woman's father, sixty miles northeast of here, yesterday, and shot and killed her. Phillips has been farming ten miles north of Grand Forks, N. D., since his wife left him.

AMUNDSEN TO GIVE LECTURE BEFORE THE GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY.

Washington, March 23.—Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the south pole, will visit the United States next January and deliver his first North American lecture on the successful Antarctic expedition before the National Geographical Society in Washington.

THREE MEMBERS OF ALLEN GANG ARE SURROUNDED

Officers Locate Outlaws in Mount-
ains, Near Mt. Airy, After
Long Search

Mount Airy, N. C., March 23.—Three members of the Allen gang, Claude Swanson, brother of Floyd, Friel Allen, son of Jasper, and Wesley Edwards were located by the detectives in the mountains north of Mount Airy and their capture tonight, or early Sunday morning, is practically certain.

It is predicted they will be taken without bloodshed. The outlaws were located in the mountains late today. Word was sent here and reinforcements were asked by the posse and immediately the sheriff of Surry county, with a number of his deputies, a dozen detectives and several citizen volunteers started up "into the hills. They will wend their way to the south of the place where the fugitives are in hiding. In the north the outlaws were confronted by 100 men, working from the Hills. He end. When the Mt. Airy squad arrives, on the south, the officers will surround the hiding place and cut off escape of the outlaws.

Sidney Allen, leader of the clan, is believed to be hiding in the Sugar Loaf Mountains, five miles away from where the Edwards boy and the other two Allens are said to be located. He probably will not be taken tonight.

FOUND GUILTY OF SETTING FIRE TO PEORIA HOTEL.

Peoria, March 23.—Harvey Austin Six and Samuel Barr, both of Springfield, today were found guilty of setting fire to the Aldine Hotel, here, on March 16, 1911. The trial of the men, convicted last January of conspiracy to defraud an insurance company, has lasted the whole of the past week.

FORT SMITH MOB HANGS NEGRO TO TELEPHONE POLE

Black Shot and Probably Fatally
Wounded Deputy Con-
stable

POLICE KEEP HANDS OFF

Officers do not Try to Stop 500
Men, Who Batter Down Jail
Bars and get Negro

Fort Smith, Ark., March 23.—A mob late tonight broke into the city jail, here, and took an unidentified negro, who early in the evening shot and probably fatally wounded Deputy Constable Andrew Carr. The police did not attempt to interfere with the mob.

Carr was shot, while attempting to place the negro under arrest. Other officers captured the black and locked him in the jail.

Within a short time a mob of 500 men gathered and assaulted the jail. The men surged about the jail for almost an hour trying to batter down the heavy steel doors with a telephone pole. Finally the men attacked the bars on the windows and tore them out. They soon had the negro.

The negro was dragged through the streets with a rope around his neck, begging for mercy. The mob stopped in front of a hotel and throwing the rope over a crossarm of a telephone pole pulled him off the ground. The rope was fastened and the mob dispersed within a few minutes. Quiet was restored almost as quickly as the excitement had started and within a short time the body was cut down.

GREATEST CHICKEN DAY EVER AT SIKESTON, MO.

M. R. Jones, a prominent farmer in the vicinity of Sikeston, Mo., is in the city. He states that Friday was the greatest chicken day ever seen in Sikeston. Two men arrived in the city last week from Chicago and sent out word all over the surrounding country that they wanted chickens and would pay from 12 1/4 to 14 cents per pound for all they could get. The fowls were to be delivered Friday for shipment; 8,000 chickens was the count after the clean up.

DUGGER MURDERERS BELIEVED CAPTURED.

The two men, who three weeks ago shot and killed Ollie Dugger, a saloon keeper at Paducah, Ky., when he attempted to prevent their holding up 30 men, in his saloon, are believed to have been captured at Carbondale and Centerville, according to a telephone message from Paducah last night. The men were partially identified yesterday afternoon, by Chief of Police Henry Bailey of Paducah and one of the men held up.

According to advices from Carbondale, the man there admits having been in Paducah at the time of the robbery, but denies that he took part in it. The other denies having been in Paducah. They will be taken to Paducah today.

GIRL TESTIFIES IN EFFORT TO CLEAR SELF OF MURDER.

New Orleans, March 23.—Annie Crawford, on trial, charged with murdering her sister, Elsie, by poison testified today. She maintained that she might have given her morphine by mistake and an hour and a half of serious cross fire questions failed to disturb her.

Anna said she had been addicted to the use of morphine and that Elsie also used the drug. Elsie had been sick for some time and Anna was attending her. Anna testified she intended giving Elsie tablets of calomel and soda and laid this medicine on the table with morphine tablets, some of which she intended taking herself.

BABY AND GRANDMOTHER ARE FATALLY BURNED.

Sedalia, Mo., March 23.—Minta Burlingame, two years old, was burned to death and her grandmother, Mrs. McLoney fatally injured, here, today, when the girl poured coal oil in the kitchen stove. The fire had died down and the child taking a can of oil poured some of it on the embers. Her grandmother was injured in trying to save the girl.

RUMORED THAT LEEVE IS OUT AT HICKMAN

Report Says Bank Has Gone Out
Two Miles Below Kentucky
City—Residents Move

THREE BREAKS REPAIRED

People in Lowlands Work Day and
Night to Save Property— Will
Inundate Lower State

Illino's—Rain or snow Sunday;
Monday fair.

Kentucky—Rain east, rain or snow
in west portion Sunday; Monday fair.

Missouri—Local snows or rain
Sunday, except fair northwest por-
tion; Monday fair and warmer.

The people of Hickman, Ky., forty miles below Cairo, are on the verge of a panic, because of the rumor last night that the levee had broken about two miles below that city, which, if so, will cause the inundation of the lower part of the town and a large property loss in both the city and the farming district.

According to long distance telephone message early this morning, the rumor had reached the city that the levee had broken, but this could not be verified. Three smaller breaks have already occurred in the levee. These have been patched but the rapidly rising river and the fact that more water has slipped through, this year, than ever before, make it certain that the expected break will come within a short time. A break would inundate all of southeastern Kentucky and a large part of northern Tennessee.

The people of that vicinity have been working day and night on the levee and those in the lower part of town, which is the residence section and the nearest river, are moving their household goods to second stories.

The river stage at Cairo was 46.8 feet yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock with predictions of a 48 foot stage with more water likely. If the river reaches 50 feet, as is predicted by old-time river men, the water will come up the main street of Hickman, which is several blocks from the river, and where the business houses are located. There is no danger at this place.

Despite the grave state of affairs the Hickman people have not as yet asked for relief and insist that they are able to control the situation.

Hickman has a population of about 3,000 and is the county seat of Fulton county. It is the terminus of the Tennessee line of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad.

The people of Mississippi county, Mo., opposite Cairo, are also experiencing trouble with their levee. They fear that hordes of muskrats have burrowed into the levee and the damage may be incalculable. The levees in Mississippi county have always been weak.

Above Cairo on the Ohio, damage is reported by the rapidly rising river. Saw mill owners declare the river has come to the levee and carried away rafts of logs. Across the river, a few miles in Kentucky, the river has come back five miles.

A washout at Akron, Miss., destroyed M. & O. No. 6, six hours. The engines of a freight train was turned back in the washout.

MANUFACTURER'S SON FACES BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT

Chicago, March 23.—Porter S. Stover, son of a manufacturer at Freeport, Ill., was named as defendant in a \$25,000 damage suit filed here today by Grace E. Lewis, charging breach of promise. It is the second time that Stover has been made defendant in a suit filed by Miss Lewis. The first suit was filed about a year ago at Freeport, but Stover was said to have gone to Central America before service was made on him.

NORMAL STUDENT BURNS TO DEATH

Carbondale, March 23.—Miss Anna Rendleman of Lake Creek, Ill., a student at the Southern Illinois Normal school, was burned to death tonight. She mistook gasoline for kerosene in starting a fire.

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